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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. Eight

Part B for Sept-19

SUBJECT.

permission under the Bryson News papers Regulation

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130) Do, Ske of Magistrate, B'lore.
" I.G.P. police
" E. Chinnaswamy pillai
No G 5976-8 8-9-19

Grants permission to Mr E. Chinnaswamy pillai to edit, print & publish within the territories of Mysore a daily news sheet styled the Mysore Daily News.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(P.P.)

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File No. 37-181

FILE HEADING.

Permission under the Mysore Newspapers Regulation

From

Mr. K. Chinnaswami Pillai

No. Letter Dated 26-3-19 Received 27-3-19

Diary No. 12096 | Enclos. 3 Spare Copies. | Serial No. 71

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Requesting permission to run a "Mysore News Agency" and to edit, print and publish within the Territories of Mysore a daily News sheet in English styled "the Mysore Daily News".

NOTES AND ORDERS.

1) Submitted for orders.

Information as to the character and antecedents of the applicant is contained in the Copies of the testimonials furnished by him.

NOTES—First Sheet. 2) 28/3

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2) But an enquiry into his present position, status etc is necessary before the D.C. personal opinion is required - Draft be submitted

Bro
28-3-19

3) Draft put up.
C. S
29/3

Bro
29-3-19.

76 So
The Dist Magistrate & Dept Comm
Bangalore
" Inspector Genl of Police
No G 22161-2 G 31.3.1919
Requests them to furnish confidential reports on the Character and antecedents of Mr E. Chinnaswamy Pillay referred to in 8671

77 So
Mr. E. Chinnaswamy Pillay
No 2. Sanjeevappa St
Bangalore
No G 22163 G 31-3-19
Acknowledges the receipt of the letter referred to in 8671 and states that the matter will receive

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Serial No. 86

From

The Dy Comr Bangalore

No C936/H0 of 18-4-19 Rec 11/4/19

Rec 15/4/19

Reporting on the character & antecedents of Mr E. Chinnasami Pillai and stating that the permission asked for by him may be granted.

4) Subd

Report from the D.G. of Police will be awaited.

Y. VS

16/4

SMH

17-4-19

CHIEF SECRETARIAT

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POLITICAL BRANCH.

17 APR. 1919

From

The D.G. of Police

No 2/C.D.R. Dt 9-7-19 Rec 9/7

Stating that the permission asked for by Mr. Chinnasami Pillai may be granted

5) Submitted with a draft granting the permission asked for.

Y. 10/7 VS 6) SMH 11-7-19

1st member)

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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Serial No.

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12-7-19

1) What is the exact meaning of "running a Japan News Agency"? and what is necessary to obtain any permission at all. except in regard to the publishing of a "newspaper or other printed work" under the Regulation. If no information is available, the applicant may be questioned, & the reply noted. — 12-7-19

2) Who information is available as regards to the applicant — is sub?

3) Issue as revised. 15/7 15-7-19

186 To.

Mr Chinna Swami Pillay
Bangalore

No 9

Requests him to intimate what he means by saying that he wants to run a Japan News Agency

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II
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28 JUL. 1919

NOTE—Contn. sheet.

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129 From:

Mr. E. Chinnaswami Pillai

Letter dt 12/8/19.

Explaining the Necessity of Permission to Newspaper Agencies.

Submitted with reg:- to para 4 of the Notes. It is a point for orders whether for running a news agency in the way suggested by the applicant, any permission under the News paper Regulation is necessary.

13/8/19

13.8.19.

No permission to publish can be granted. Draft is on the file.

Permission to run a newsagency is not contemplated in the Newspaper Regulation, nor is it possible to regulate, much less prohibit, any man from supplying news, if he can find men to accept.

13-8-19.

Chiefly 2nd member

Draft approved

Issue

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SECRETARIAT
POLITICAL BRANCH
10 SEP 1910

NOTE—Contn. sheet.

E. CHINNASWAMI PILLAI,
SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT,
ADVERTISING AGENT,
"DAILY POST."

THE RESIDENCY
POLITICAL BRANCH.
27 MAR 1919

2, SANJEEVAPPA STREET,
BANGALORE CITY, 26 : 3 : 1919.

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To.

The Chief Secretary to the P & G P
to the Government of Mysore
Bangalore

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The Secretariat
27 MAR 1919

Dear Sir,

I beg to request that I may be kindly permitted to run a "Mysore News Agency" for supplying full news about the province to papers both in and outside the State.

I also solicit permission to print, publish and edit within the territories of Mysore a daily News Sheet in English called the "Mysore Daily News"

I enclose a copy of my testimonials and shall thank you for a very early order, as some of the papers want service from the 1st April.

Yours faithfully
E. Chinnaswami Pillai

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P & G P
27.3.19
4.4.19
MR

Testimonials from Editors.

1. Mr. E. Chinnaswami Pillai was doing work, as correspondent of the "Hindu" at Bangalore for a few months. He has been active and intelligent and has given me satisfaction in the discharge of his duties.

THE "HINDU" OFFICE,
Mount Road, Madras.
Nov: 11: 1915.

(Sd.) S. KASTURI RANGA IYENGAR,
Editor.

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2. I have very great pleasure in stating that Mr. E. Chinnaswami Pillai acted as the special and sole representative of this paper for several weeks during the Dasara proceedings in Mysore. He worked hard, honestly and intelligently and gave me every satisfaction. Though a young journalist, Mr. Chinnaswami Pillai is likely to do any newspaper he represents credit, for he is not only a good English scholar and loyal to his employers, but he possesses the knack of making himself *persona grata* with those whom he approaches for information. He should succeed as a journalist and he has my very best wishes for such success.

(Sd.) T. M. BABINGTON,
Editor,
"DAILY POST."

BANGALORE,
27th Oct. 1916.

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3. In continuation of a certificate which I wrote for Mr. E. Chinnaswami Pillai on the 27th October 1916, I have pleasure in stating that he has fulfilled the promise which he gave when he first acted for this paper. He has repeatedly acted as my Special correspondent and has represented the "Daily Post" at the different sessions of the Mysore Representative Assembly and the Mysore Economic Conference. A feature of Mr. Chinnaswami Pillai's reporting is that he takes pains to verify the information he provides and his facts are, therefore, seldom or never contradicted. All Editors will recognise the value of this and the chances of annoyance and discussion which it averts. Mr. E. Chinnaswami Pillai is a most useful and reliable reporter and would be of efficient assistance to any journal.

(Sd.) T. M. BABINGTON,
Editor,
"DAILY POST."

BANGALORE,
7: Feb: 1918.

(True Copy.)

23/3.

Spinker & Co,. Printers, Bangalore.

TESTIMONIALS.

Mysore Chamber of Commerce.

BANGALORE—15 : JULY : 18.

I have pleasure in certifying that in my contact with Mr. E. Chinnaswami Pillai, I have, in his information, found him reliable and keen in the discharge of his duties. I feel sure he will satisfactorily accomplish any work entrusted to him and hope he will be given a fair trial by all interested in the advancement of young and pushing men of the State.

(Sd.) W. C. ROSE,

Chairman.

Bangalore Daily Post Office.

BANGALORE—16 : JULY : 18.

During the period of two years Mr E. Chinnaswami Pillai has been connected with this office as our representative to canvas advertisements, we have fonnd him painstaking, trustworthy and useful. He has a sound knowledge of business in the line.

(Sd) T. M. BABINGTON,

Manager.

Stratford House, Benson Town.

BANGALORE—13 : MAY : 17.

Mr. E. Chinnaswami Pillai, Special Correspondent of the 'Daily Post' has been connected with us for the last one year and has rendered us valuable service during his spare hours. He is highly intelligent and possesses a sound grip for business and a thorough organising capacity. In all his transactions with us, he has behaved with utmost sincerity—not to say with upright honesty.

(Sd.) B. K. ILLAVA,

Retd. Assistant Collector of Excise & Contractor.

(True Copy.)

TESTIMONIALS

OF

E. Chinnaswami Pillai.

THOMPSON & CO., MADRAS.

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Certificates from :—

1. F. R. Sell Esq., M.A. Professor of English, Central College, Bangalore.
2. Rev. S. J. Cox, M.A. Principal, L. M. H. School, Bangalore.
3. J. G. Tait Esq., M.A. Principal, Central College, Bangalore.
4. The Late Sir P. N. Krishnamurti, K. C. I. E., Late Dewan of Mysore.
5. Rev. A. R. Fuller, B.A., Principal, Wesleyan Mission High School, Bangalore.
6. A. A. Ward, Esq, B.A., Late Secy. Y. M. C. A. Bangalore.
7. J. Callon, Esq., B.A. Genl. Secy. Y. M. C. A. Bangalore.
8. Rev. J. Mathers, Secy. Y. M. C. A. Bangalore.
9. The Late Justice, P. S. Krishna Rau, Rao Bahadur, Late Chief Judge of Mysore.
10. C. Sreenivasa Iyengar, Esq., Dewan Bahadur.
11. K. P. Puttanna Chettyar Esq., Dewan Bahadur Retired First Members of the Council of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.
12. V. P. Madhava Rau, Esq, C. I. E. Retired Dewan of Mysore and Travancore and the Present Dewan of Baroda.

1. E. Chinnaswami joined this college on matriculating in 1906 from the London Mission High School, Bangalore. In that school he bore a *very high character* which he has maintained in the College. His behaviour and general conduct in class and out of class is good. He is a keen and capable foot-ball player and is fond of athletics in general. He has the sportsman's spirit in these occupations. In class I have found him steady and diligent doing good work in English.

CENTRAL COLLEGE,
BANGALORE,
1st *May* 1908.

(Sd.) FRANK R. SELL,
Professor of English.

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2. E. Chinnaswami was reading in this school about six years and left from the sixth Form in December 1906. He passed the Matriculation examination from this school and passed on to the Central College. Whilst he was here he worked hard in studies and showed much *general ability. He was an excellent athlete, and displayed energy in organising the school sports.* His general conduct was satisfactory. Judging from what I knew of him when he was a pupil of this school I can heartily recommend him for any technical work for which he may seek.

LONDON MISSION HIGH SCHOOL
BANGALOE.
January. 23, 1909.

(Sd.) S. J. COX,
Principal.

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3. E. Chinnaswami was a student in the F. A. Classes of this College in 1907-08. His attendance was regular. He made fair progress in his studies. His conduct was *invariably good.*

CENTRAL COLLEGE,
BANGALORE,
1st *February* 1909.

J. G. TAIT,
Principal.

4. Chinnaswami Pillai a *well-behaved* young man is a member of the family of the late Chinnaswami Pillai avergal a *much respected Divisional Huzur Head Sheristadar whose name is still remembered with regard* in the Mysore District of the late Astagram Division. Young Chinnaswami's father Mr. Sachedanundum Pillai was a Munsif in the Mysore Service and also an Advocate. There is every indication of young Chinnaswami making a good Police officer if he will be admitted into that Department.

PURNA PRASADA,
BANGALORE,
8th February 1910.

(Sd.) P. N. KRISHNAMURTI,
Late Dewan of Mysore.

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5. I have had acquaintance with E. Chinnaswami for some few years, and though I have never been brought into close relationship with him I have seen enough of him to certify that he is a young man of good family, a good sportsman and apparently keen in all that he undertakes. So far as I know, his character is *perfectly* good.

WESLEYAN MISSION HIGH
SCHOOL BANGALORE,
21*st March* 1910.

(Sd.) A. R. FULLER, B.A.,
Principal.

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6. For two and one half years preceding March 1909, I was a resident of Bangalore, acting as Secretary of the Y. M. C, A there. During that time I came into Contact almost daily with Mr. E. Chinnaswami and am glad to bear testimony to his *cheerful* disposition and good character. He is a good all-round

athlete, being especially strong in foot-ball. The qualities which go to make a strong athlete are also useful in the battle of life, and I should expect Mr. Chinuaswami to make a success of whatever work he may undertake.

E. Chinnaswami belongs to a *very respectable* family the members of which in the past rendered *useful service* to the Government, and I take pleasure in recommending him for some responsible post in the Government.

TELLIPALLI, CEYLON,
January 7, 1910.

(Sd.) A. A, WARD.

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7. E. Chinnaswami has been a member of the Bangalore City Branch Y. M. C. A. for about two and half years. During that time he has been intimately known to me. He was a student of the London Mission High School and passed through the Matriculation Examination. He also studied in the F. A. classes of the Central College.

In the athletic department of the Y. M. C, A. he was a regular member of the first team in Foot-ball and Basketball being a player of *exceptional merit*. In the annual athletic festival he proved to be an all-round sportsman, winning prizes in a number of events. He comes of a *highly respectable* Indian family.

Y. M. C. A. OFFICE,
Bangalore, *March*, 19, 1910.

(Sd) JOSHEPH CALLON,
General Secretary.

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8. I have met E. Chinnaswami frequently on the athletic field when he was a student in Bangalore, and can bear testimony to his skill as an athlete and to his conduct and bearing on the field. He is full of enthusiasm and resource in games and these qualities should stand him in good stead if he devolops them also in the more serious game of life.

UNITED THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE,
BANGALORE,
March 4, 1911.

(Sd). J. MATHERS.

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9. The bearer E. Chinnaswami Pillai is a son of Mr. E. Sachedanundum Pillai who was formerly a Munsif in the Mysore Service and who is now practising as an advocate before the Chief Court of Mysore and the Courts subordinate to it. Having regard to the respectability of the family to which the young man belongs and to his character which I believe is good, his case may be considered as one that deserves special treatment.

BANGALORE,
15*th June* 1912.

(Sd). P. S. KRISHNA RAU,
Judge, Chief Court of Mysore.

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10 & 11. E. Chinnaswami Pillai now under training in the Police School at Vellore, is a grandson of the late Mr. Chinnaswami Pillai—a native of Madras, who after serving with distinction for nearly 20 years in several offices in the Madras Presidency, joined the Mysore service in the days of the *British Commission* and by his exceptional merit and unswerving integrity rose to the high and responsible office of Head Sheristadar than which he would have surely risen still higher had be not been prematurely cut off in the prime of life. The late Mr. Pillai was

held in high esteem by the several eminent officers under whom he had the honour of serving both in Madras and in Mysore. Young Chinnaswami's father was a Munsiff and his uncle a senior Assistant Commissioner. Seeing that he belongs to a respectable Madras family, has received a good education, is of active habits and bears an excellent character, I hope he will succeed in securing a better start in the City Police than a last grade Sub-Inspectorship in the moffusil Police. His is case which deserves special treatment.

26th February 1911. (Sd.) C. SREENIVASA IYENGAR,
(RAJA MANTARA PRAVANA)
Retired First Member of the Council of H. H. the Maharajah of Mysore.

I fully endorse the above.

31st March 1912. (Sd) K. P. PUTTANA CHETTY,
Dewan Bahadur.

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12. The bearer E. Chinnaswami Pillai is a member of the family of the late Mr. E. Chinnaswami Pillai who did distinguished service in the early years of the British Commission and rose to the *highest position* which was open to an Indian in those days. His sons the father and uncles of the bearer also occupied responsible positions in the Mysore Service. The family is a *highly respectable* one and its members deserve every encouragement.

BANGALORE,
19th October 1912 (Sd). V. P. MADHAVA RAU.

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G 22161-2

General & Revenue Secretariat

Bangalore, 31/3/1939

Dear Sir,

I am desired to request you to kindly furnish Government with a confidential report on the character and antecedents of one Mr. K. Channa Swami Pillai, Special Correspondent-Advertising Agent of Daily Post-2 Sanjeevaraya Street, Bangalore City *who has applied for permission under the Mysore Newspapers Regulation, III of 1908, to edit, print and publish* a daily News Sheet in English styled "The Mysore Daily News" and to run a Mysore News Agency.

2. I am to request that, instead of, or in addition to, any enquiry by the Superintendent of Police or other subordinate officers, you may send for the applicant and personally interview him so that you may be able to form an idea of the merits or defects of the applicant and so that any misstatements in other reports may have a chance of being corrected.

3. An early reply is requested.

Yours sincerely,

28-3-39

for Ch. Secretary to Government,
Gen. & Rev. Depts.

2/-

The Deputy Commissioner & District Magistrate, Bangalore District.
The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

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G.R.S. VI.—G/39.

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Serial No. 77

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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No. 22163

Mr. E. Chinnaswami Pillai
2, Sanjeevappa Street
Bangalore City

Date of issue 31.3.19

Signed by M. A. R., Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your communication noted in the margin and to state that the matter referred to therein will receive early attention.

I have etc.,

28-3-19

for Chief Secretary to Government.

No. Pln date 26-3-1919

Subject Requesting permission (1) to run a Mysore News Agency and (2) to edit, print & publish a daily news sheet in English styled "The Mysore Daily News".

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Office of the Deputy Commissi
Bangalore District.

No. C936/4 9185

Dated Bangalore, 11th April 191

From

P.F.Bowring, Esq.,
Deputy Commissioner & District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

To

C.S.Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your D.O.letter No.G.22161-2/P.37-17-76 dated the 31st March 1919, regarding the application of Mr.E. Chinnaswami Pillai, Special correspondent, Daily Post, Bangalore City, for permission to publish a Daily News Sheet in English styled the "Mysore Daily News", I have the honor to state that I sent for the applicant and interviewed him on the 7th instant. From enquiries made by me I gather that his grand-father was the Huzur Sheristedar to Sir Mark Cubbon and he has relations now in the service of the Mysore Government. He is about 30 years of age and employed on the Editorial staff of the 'Daily Post'. He appears to be moderate in his views, and has no definite policy to follow in matters political and social. His idea is to run a News Agency in the first instance, in the course of two months edit a News Sheet styled "the Mysore News" and publish the same either daily or tri-weekly.

2. The permission asked for may, I think, be granted.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

L.S.R.
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From

The Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District

To

The Chief Secretary
to Govt.
Bangalore

Dated 11-4-1919

Despatched 12-0-

Received

General No. C 936 of 18-19
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Enclosure No.

Report re the appln of Mr. C. Channa Swamy Pillay, Special Correspondent

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CONFIDENTIAL.

No: 2/C.S.D.

Bangalore.
9th July 1919.

CHIEF SECRETARIAT.
POLITICAL BRANCH.
9 JUL 1919

Dear Sir,

With reference to your Memo No: G. 2216-2/ P.P. 37-18-76 dated 31-3-19 regarding the application of Mr. E. Chinnasami Pillai praying for permission to edit, print and publish a daily news sheet in English styled " the Mysore daily news" and to run a Mysore news agency, I write to say that I agree with the District Magistrate, Bangalore, in the view that the permission might be granted. It is only this day that I got from the District Magistrate a copy of his letter No: 936/ H.O. of 18-19 dated 10th April 1919 to you.

Yours sincerely,

C.S. Balasundaram Iyer Esquire, B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government of Mysore.

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT
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Date of issue 25/7/19

Signed by.....

Section
File No.
Serial No.

No. 71905

To

Mr E. Chinnaswami Pillai
2. Sampeegappa Street
Bangalore City

Sir

With reg: to your petition of 26-3-1919 I am directed to request you to intimate at an early date what you ultimate the exact mean by stating that meaning of "Tyranny You want to run "Mysore News Agency"

OVER.

~~A Mysore News Agency~~ Kindly see the Chief Secy ~~Secretary~~ at the Public Offices on any day at 12 noon.

~~Wherein copy to~~

9 have to

Copy

for Chief Secy

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List of enclosures.

Copied by

Examined by

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E. CHINNASWAMI PILLAI,
SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.
ADVERTISING AGENT.
"DAILY POST."

2, SANJEEVAPPA STREET,
BANGALORE CITY, 12th Aug. 1919.

CHIEF SECRETARIAT
POLITICAL BRANCH
12 AUG. 1919

PP 37-8-129.

The Chief Secretary
to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter No. G. 1905/P.P.3718-126 of the 25th ultimo, I beg to state that by saying that I want to run a -- "Mysore News Agency" I mean to work up a "News Agency" for the purpose of collecting News from the various quarters of the Mysore -- State and supply them (same) to such papers as may by contract arrange to purchase it. It will be worked on the model of the Associated Press of India, though on a small scale.

My original application of the 26th March last prays for permission also to edit, print and publish such news.

Yours truly,
E. Chinnaswami Pillai

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT
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Dated Mysore News Agency

Signed by.....

No. 45976-8

Whereas an application dated the 26th March 19 19 has been made under Section 2 of the Mysore Newspapers Regulation, III of 1908, by Mr. E. Chinnaswami Pillai, 2, Sanjeevarāya Street, Bangalore City to edit, print and publish within the Territories of Mysore a daily News sheet in English styled "The Mysore Daily News"

In exercise of the power conferred by the said section of the said Regulation, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja are pleased to grant permission to the said Mr. Chinnaswami Pillai

to edit, print and publish the said News sheet ~~and also to print the said News sheet~~ within the said Territories.

By Order,

Secretary to Govt.

To

The Dist. Magistrate, Bangalore
The D.C. of Police
Mr. E. Chinnaswami Pillai